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SUCROSE PHOSPHORYLASE (SP)**

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**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF  
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Sir:

Applicants request confirmation that a certified copy of priority document JP 2003-313305 has been requested and received by the USPTO in connection with the above-identified application.

The present application is a 371 of International Application No. PCT/JP2004/012533 filed on August 31, 2004.

To the extent not done so already, applicants respectfully request that the USPTO request electronically a copy of the priority document JP 2003-313305 from WIPO. In addition, applicants respectfully request that the USPTO issue a Supplemental Notice of Allowability indicating receipt of the certified copy of the priority document.

Should the Examiner feel that a telephone interview would be helpful to facilitate favorable prosecution of the above-identified application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number provided below.

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